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Mercy Hospital Expands Bed Capacity

Sister Mary Hilda, Administrator of Mercy Hospital, Grayling has announced that the Michigan Department of Public Health has amended the license for the hospital, raising the bed capacity to 106. The change in licensing capacity was a result of the most recent inspection by the Michigan Department of Public Health and subsequent data provided the department by the hospital.

In the early Fall of 1972 the Board of Trustees hired Amherst

Associates, Inc. of California as consultants to help us determine what way our hospital should develop in the future. The Board recognized the need to do some thinking about updating our facilities so that we could provide the kind of services which will be increasingly necessary to serve our patients in the future.

The basic recommendation is that we convert 20 long-term care beds in the North wing (formerly Extended Care) to acute care bed designation. The rooms to

At Kalkaska Tuesday

Cheboygan Chiefs Here Friday Night

Following the annual Christmas and New Years recess, the Grayling Vikings will return to basketball action this Friday evening, January 4th.

Coach Al Vissia's varsity cagers, and Howard Lehti's JV's will open the new year at home when they entertain the league leading Cheboygan Chiefs in a Michigan Huron Shores Conference contest.

The Chiefs will bring an unblemished record here Friday. Coach Frank Karwoski's eagles lead the league with a 5-0 mark.

On Tuesday night, Jan. 8th,

the Vikings will travel to Kalkaska for a non-conference contest with the Blue Blazers.

Grayling has 12 games remaining on the schedule before they enter the State High School basketball tournaments in March.

Of the remaining 12 games, 7 are on their home court, with 5 contests on the road, 9 games with MHSC foes, and 3 are non-league contests.

The Vikings will meet the Kalkaska Blue Blazers twice, with the other contest against the Roscommon Bucks at Grayling in their non-conference games.

Adult Enrichment Classes to Begin January 7

The winter term of Adult Enrichment Classes sponsored by the Crawford AuSable Schools Community School Program will be getting underway on Monday, January 7 with the largest selection of classes ever offered. Included in the list of new

classes are swimming classes for beginners, advanced beginners and adult women beginners. Also included is a physical fitness class for women in which swimming is the primary exercise. These swimming classes are the result of

\$11.6 Million In Federal Grants For Rural Roads

Lansing — Nearly \$11.8 million in federal funds has been allocated to Michigan by the Federal Highway Act of 1973 for improvement of rural secondary roads, the State Highway Commission reports.

Two-thirds of the allocation, or \$7,613,668, has been prorated by the Commission on a local matching basis for use by Michigan's 83 counties. The funds are to be used on that portion of the 87,000-mile system of county roads designated as federal-aid secondary routes. These are usually the more important county roads that serve as connectors between state highways and between cities and villages.

The other third, or \$3.9 million, is allocated to the Department of State Highways and Transportation for use on state highways in rural areas that also are designated as federal aid

secondary routes. The Department's share also will cover planning and research costs on county projects under the Act.

Division of the federal funds was made between the state highway system and county roads in accordance with a distribution formula approved by both the Commission and County Road Association of Michigan.

The formula takes into account rural population, land areas and mileage in each county. Amounts range from a high of \$167,149 for Berrien County to a low of \$32,942 for Keweenaw County.

To obtain funds, available for fiscal year ending July, 1974, counties must apply on specific road projects. Application must be made through the Department of State Highways and Transportation. Crawford counties amount available is \$55,486.

(See Adult Classes on page 7)

First Nursing Class Graduates At Kirtland



GRAYLING NURSES GRADUATING from Kirtland Community College Nursing Program (left to right) are Lepsey, Anita Laurent, Jacqueline Parkinson, and Trustee Robert F. Bovee. Fredra White and Trustee Bovee.

Eighteen nursing students graduated as Practical Nurses in ceremonies held in the Kirtland Auditorium, Friday, Dec. 21, 1973.

Dr. Charles Oppy, M.D., Kirtland Trustee, welcomed the graduating nurses and the enthusiastic audience to the Kirtland Campus. He said, "A commitment was made at the time

Kirtland was established to provide career training that would permit entry into the world of work. This is a fine example of both career training and serving the needs of the community."

Dr. Warren Bontrager, M.D., Kirtland Trustee, made a few remarks about the importance of the Nursing Program to the four county area. He emphasized

that most of the graduate nurses will remain in the community serving the health needs of our own citizens.

The address was made by Mrs. Betty Brunelle, Director, Practical Nursing, St. Clair Community College.

A reception in honor of the graduate practical nurses followed in the Kirtland Student Center.

Country Players To Hold Meeting Jan. 7

The River Country Players will be holding their monthly meeting at 7:00 p.m. on January 7th in the basement of the Shoppeagon Hotel. The Players urge all interested persons and members to attend as the vote for accepting the constitution will be taken. Membership dues will be accepted at this time.

IRS Will Help Area Taxpayers

Cadillac — Taxpayers living in the Cadillac area can obtain assistance with their 1973 Federal income tax returns on every Monday at the IRS office here starting Jan. 7, 1974, according to local District Director's Representative Earl D. Gantzenbein.

Internal Revenue Service personnel will be available to provide Federal income tax information from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Cadillac office is located at 421 S. Mitchell Street.

The IRS will offer expanded telephone service this year to make it more convenient for taxpayers to obtain information and advice. Telephone service will be offered six days a week.

IRS offices close at 4:00 p.m. for in-person assistance.

Telephone service, however, will be offered til 5:30 p.m. weekdays

and Saturdays from 10:00 a.m.

til 3:30 p.m. Assistance phone numbers for Michigan are listed in the instruction booklets mailed to all taxpayers, according to Mr. Gantzenbein.

Except for telephone assistance, IRS offices are closed on Saturdays. Many taxpayers will be able to use the "short form" 1040A, again this year. The IRS estimates that about 30 million taxpayers will be able to use the half-page form 1040A.

Taxpayers who plan to pay someone to prepare their return are reminded that the law requires the person to sign the form as preparer. The new forms again include a line for the preparer's Social Security or identification number, says Mr. Gantzenbein.

Taxpayers who pay to have their returns prepared should be careful to select a qualified preparer, he said.

Also included in the line-up of new classes are classes in welding, mens clothing construction, chess, Michigan Conservation and candy making. Also included are sessions which make available the wood shop and the machine shop at the new high school.

Most of these classes meet at the new high school and have a tuition fee of \$10.00. Some classes vary in cost due to the equipment used while others such as a class in medical self-help and another in family survival are offered free of charge.

A complete list of classes along with their description and schedule is located elsewhere in the Avalanche. Further information may be obtained by calling the Community School Office at 348-7641. Preregistration for any class may be completed by calling this number also.

Senior citizens are invited to take part in any of the Adult Enrichment Classes by paying materials fee only, providing there are at least ten regular registrations for the class. In most cases there is no materials fee.

(See Adult Classes on page 7)

Gen-Tel Expands Service In Area

"1973 was a year of expansion and change for General Telephone Company," stated Al Murphy, Roscommon customer service manager. During 1973, General Telephone Company spent in excess of \$300,000.00 in the Roscommon service area for service improvements and new-construction. The Roscommon service area includes the exchanges of Grayling, Higgins Lake, Houghton Lake, Fairview, Midland and Roscommon.

Over 175 square miles of rural area was added to those exchanges during 1973. Extension of service to these new areas was accomplished along with the completion of the rural upgrading program. The rural upgrading assures not more than four parts per line.

To provide more efficient customer service a new service center was established at Gaylord during 1973. All customer records for maintenance, new services, and billing are now located in the new service center. This necessitated the phasing out and eventual closing of the Roscommon business office.

General Telephone Company is optimistic about this areas 1974 growth. More than twice last years expenditure, over three quarters of a million dollars, is planned for the anticipated growth for 1974.

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Turning the Clock Forward

The nation goes on year-round daylight saving time on January 6, and the saving in heating and electricity is estimated at 3% of the nation's projected energy shortage. That estimate may turn out to be somewhat over-optimistic. But the speedy enactment of the bill, which took only five weeks from the time President Nixon requested the measure until he signed it into law on Saturday, indicates that Congress is eager to lay the groundwork for even a tiny saving of energy.

DST is controversial with many Americans, some of whom regard it as tinkering with nature. Pressure from farmers forced Congress to repeal a law decreeing nationwide DST in 1918.

The last time the nation was on year-round DST, 1942-45, it was called "war time." There doesn't seem to be any current move afoot to affix a similar descriptive label, and perhaps it's just as well. Like patriotic appeals, such stratagems usually work best over the short haul, and it's beginning to look as though the energy crisis will be with us in varying forms and varying degrees of intensity well into the future. Therefore, year-round DST, like the World War II excise tax that is still added to telephone bills, could be with us for a long, long time.

From the Wall Street Journal

Florence, Ala., Herald: "In modern times man has learned how to split the atom, build planes that conquer space and distance and bring people the world over within hours and minutes of each other, yet has not been able to find a formula that enables men of different races, cultures, personalities, and religions to live together amicably."

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

January 4, 1951

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bielski announce the arrival of an infant daughter at Mercy Hospital on December 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Buron are happy over the arrival of Tim Joseph at Mercy Hospital on December 29.

Conservation Department Field men are investigating reports of early deer starvation in the northern Lower Peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Douglas and daughter, Sylvia Ann, spent a number of days with relatives here, returning to Elkhart, Indiana on Tuesday.

Maryda Stillwagon spent her holiday vacation in Lovells with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Weaver are home from Xmas vacation and family in Detroit.

Ken Burkhardt is home from Xmas vacation in Flint.

Eroy Barber of Clare spent the holidays home with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson and son, Douglas spent New Years weekend in Alpena.

John Krage surprised his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Krage by arriving here on Friday to spend several days.

Mrs. Bertha Peterson was hostess at a series of Christmas teas last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Presiding at the tea tables were Mrs. John Brady, Mrs. Ernest Hoesli and Mrs. Charles Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis and daughters, Connie and Gwen spent the weekend in Flint visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Morency and daughters, Juanita and Donna returned home Monday after spending the holidays visiting relatives in Detroit and Dearborn.

Victor Papendick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick, Jim Feldhauser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Feldhauser and Ernie Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller have enlisted in the Air Corps and all left Monday evening for Detroit enroute to Texas.

Martin Kitchen returned home Friday evening after spending two months in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

January 5, 1928

The local telephone exchange owned and operated by Marvin A. Bates for many years has with the passing of the old year of 1927 passed from his ownership to that of Dr. O. M. Vaughan of South Haven representing the Shaway Alpena Telephone Company.

Among the out of town guests in attendance at the Charity Ball last Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rockwell, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Haight, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff McKinnon, Supt. and Mrs. Burkett, Miss Janice Bailey, Miss Leona Gochica, Mrs. Longdo, Lyle McRae, William Johnson, Leland Shippe, Alex Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Mielstrup, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lubnau, Elmer Jorgenson, Mr. and Mrs. John Gross, Bernard Johnson, Mrs. Roy Brickley, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duvalley, Norma Lebahn, George Lowery, Van Stewart, Charlie Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hermann, Miss Elizabeth Jerome, LeRoy Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Arnold.

Miss Margaret Burrows of Flint is visiting at the home of her brother, Arnold and family.

Mrs. William Green and children of Detroit are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Madsen for a few days.

Terry O'Brien of Lansing is the new yardmaster at the Michigan Central yard office here. He was a resident of Grayling when a boy.

George Van Patten has returned to his duties at the Try It Cafe after a week spent with his sister Mrs. Glen Penard in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bousson entertained several ladies and gentlemen at a dinner party at their home on New Years eve.

After dinner cards were enjoyed. Mrs. J. W. Letzkus and Emil Kraus holding high score for "500" and Mrs. B. J. Callahan and Alex LaGraw consolation.

Cleatus St. Pierre has gone to Niles, where he is employed by the Michigan Central Railroad Co.

Edmond Houghlou is carrying his left arm in a sling as the result of having a thumb smashed while loading pulpwood.

Mrs. James Bowen of Detroit visited at the George Bielski home over New Years.

Mrs. Jess Schonover, Mrs. Carl Peterson and Mrs. Emil Gieglig motored to Saginaw

Wednesday to hear the noted young singer, Miss Marion Tally.

Mrs. Samuel Johnson, a highly

respected resident of Frederic

for over 20 years passed away

in that village Tuesday after-

noon at the age of 62 years.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Preston

were guests at Mrs. Preston's

(Erma Craven) home for Xmas.

Miss Louise Hawkes visited

her parents at Hillsdale over

the holidays.

Mrs. Ed Welch is enjoying a

visit from her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Crawford of Barton City.

Miss Anna Buchwey resumed

her duties as teacher of the El-

dorado school Tuesday after-

spending the vacation at her

home in Bessmer.

A New Year party was held

at the Julius Kreuzer home

New Years Eve.

About 30 neighbors and friends

gave Mrs. Mattie Funsch a

pleasant surprise party Satur-

day evening, December 1st.

The James Cranes expect to

leave Friday to spend the re-

mainder of the winter in Louis-

ville, Ky., with their daughter,

Mrs. Morton Kline.

LAKE MARGRETHE WATER LEVEL

(Information furnished by U.S. Geological Survey)

Period of Record: Nov. 12, 1942 to date.

Area of Lake: 1,920 acres at elevation 1135 ft. m.s.l.

Water level, Dec. 27,

1973 1134.00 ft.

Water level, Dec. 27,

1972 1133.90 ft.

Maximum level for period of record Sept. 15, 1961 1135.46 ft.

Minimum level for period of record, Sept. 24-27, 1948

1133.57 ft.

Preliminary figures subject to revision.

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Announce Engagement



The Bible Speaks

What are some of the results of the resurrection of Jesus Christ?

1. Through Christ's resurrection believers are born again unto a living hope. "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, which according to his abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance, incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you." 1 Peter 1:3, 4.

2. It proves God has provided justification for believers. "Now it was not written for his sake alone, that it was imputed to him; But for us also, to whom it shall be imputed, if we believe on him that raised up Jesus Christ from the dead, who was delivered for our offences, and was raised again for our justification." Rom. 4: 23, 25.

3. It reveals the power of God available to meet our needs. "And what is the exceeding greatness of his power to usward who believe, according to the working of his mighty power, which he wrought in Christ, when he raised him from the dead and set him at his own right hand in the heavenly places." Eph. 1:19-20.

4. It assures us of our own future resurrection to life. "Knowing that he which raised up the Lord Jesus shall raise up us also by Jesus, and shall present us with you." II Cor. 4: 14.

5. It assures us of the unchanging priesthood of Christ available to us as believers. "By so much was Jesus made a surety of a better testament. Wherefore he is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them." Heb. 7:22, 25.

6. It confirms the deity of Jesus Christ. "And declared to the Son of God with power, according to the spirit of holiness, by the resurrection from the dead." Rom. 1:4.

7. It assures all men that God will judge the world through Jesus Christ someday. "Because he hath appointed day, in the which he will judge the world in righteousness by that man whom he hath ordained; whereof he hath given assurance unto all men, in that he hath raised him from the dead." Acts 17:31. Jesus Christ died for sin. You have the choice of accepting Him in this world as your Saviour, or facing Him in the next world as your Judge. You will either accept the present love of God in Christ as He paid the penalty for your sins, or abide under the future wrath of God for eternity paying your own sin debt in hell.

The above are just a few of the many spiritual benefits provided by the literal bodily resurrection of Jesus Christ from the grave. True Christianity apart from the literal bodily resurrection of Jesus Christ in history is an absolute impossibility.

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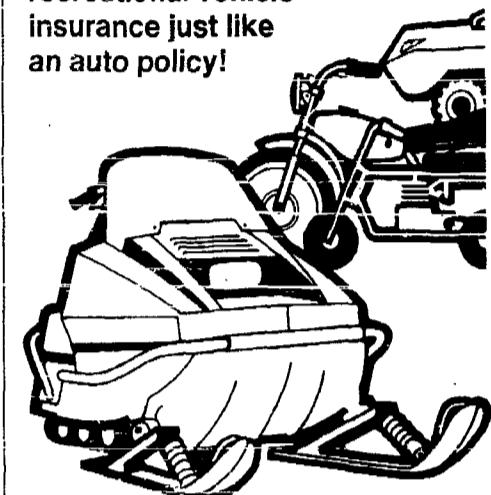
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R-207 — Nice neat 2 bedroom home in city limits priced right at \$9,750.00.

LM-7 — Large 5 bedroom home in city, completely remodeled, new 2 car garage.

LM-3 — Nice 4 bedroom home with attached garage in Karen Woods Subdivision, \$22,500.00.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sorton enjoyed having her sister with them over the holidays.

Mr. Paul Locififer returned home after being a patient at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Duby and family visited her mother in Kentucky during the holidays.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank Dr. Dusch, sisters, nurses, and nurses aides for the wonderful care I received during my recent stay at Mercy Hospital. Also to my friends and relatives for visits, cards and gifts.

Sincerely, June, Pat Madsen

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"If It Fit . . ."

Give yourself a kiss

Gordon Sinclair has shown how to make Joe Slob, the average American, proud of his country and its leaders. All you have to do is get a foreigner to tell Joe how great he is.

How come Harold Stassen never thought of that?

The politicians' perennial problem is probably platform-promising people whom it would perhaps be better to butter. (Read that sentence aloud 25 times. You sure sound silly.)

Gordon Sinclair has proved the value of knowing what side of the border to butter. He's a Canadian journalist. Last spring he got fed up with hearing rotten things about Americans. So he broadcast some nice things about us. Such as:

"I can name you 5,000 times when the Americans raced to the

help of other people in trouble. Can you name me even one time when someone else raced to the Americans in trouble? I don't think there was outside help even during the San Francisco earthquake."

As I recall, Clark Gable cleaned up the San Francisco mess while searching for Jeannette McDonald. However, he did get some help from Fr Spencer Tracy, an Irishman. But that's a petty quibble. In the main, I agree with Sinclair. We Americans are much sweeter than corner gossip might lead you to believe. So go kiss a mirror.

However, I am not here to praise me and you. Rather, I am here to comment on the peculiar phenomenon uncovered by Sinclair's flattery:

I don't think anyone realized just how hungry Joe Slob was for a few kind words. He was sick of hearing this is a lousy country. Joe used to believe everything Kate Smith sang. But in recent years it's been nothing but Joan Baez putting the kriock on apple pie. All the world agreed the United States was a bunch of greedy, arrogant bomb-droppers. It is no wonder Joe Slob began to avert his eyes when he shaved.

Gordon Sinclair galloped to the rescue. His praise of Joe Slob has been reprinted in thousands of American newspapers. Those magnificent words have been recorded in March-of-Time tones, with "America the Beautiful" playing in the background. Disc jockeys spin it twice every hour. Sinclair is in The Top Forty. If there were still a Hit Parade, Snoekie Lanson would have to

sing about the Marshall Plan and the Red Cross for 62 straight weeks.

Joe Slob listens, spraining his arm patting his back, and loves what he hears. He forgets Watergate and Vietnam. He regains his pride in his nation and the splendid men who run it.

Some cynics might say it is immodest for Americans to so indulge themselves in Sinclair's syrupy adjectives. They might even say it is typically American for us to Xerox Sinclair to the point of nausea.

But Joe Slob, finally flattered, is in no mood to upchuck today. Maybe tomorrow, when Joe learns there is no Canadian named Gordon Sinclair. He is really David Eisenhower, on overseas assignment for his father-in-law. †

SKI TIME

America's Great Wintertime Sport

First of a Series
By
Pat Dudgeon

INTRODUCTION TO SKIING

Schools, Schools. Weeeeee. "Bend your knees, please." White winter-time Mountains. Bright, shiny colors flashing through the snow covered trails. People sliding silently downhill with their feet fastened to brilliant-colored board. What is this seemingly risky sport all about? Is it just another thing to do? A fad? Why do such great hordes of people leave their suburban security to take on the most majestic of mountains under the severest of conditions? And pay to do so! Is this for real? Young and old, men and women alike risking their very limbs for what? Why do so many go so far so fast in order to glide, slide, slip and clatter down mountains, across ridges and through valleys basked in the ivory white of winter? Whatever the reasons for these and many more questions about skiing one thing is certain — again this year millions of Americans will be flocking to the hundreds of ski areas that have sprung up in this nation's mountains. Most people who try it seem to enjoy this participative sport. Some are forever fearful that broken bones await somewhere on the next hill. An ever-increasing number look upon skiing as a way of life. In the articles that follow we're going to try and discover what it is about this rapidly growing form of exercise that makes it so popular. Let's start at the beginning.

HISTORY OF SKIING

Skiing in one form or another originated in Scandinavia. As many as 5,000 years ago wood skis were fashioned for use in travel, hunting and even warfare. Gods and goddesses of skiing are alluded to throughout Viking classics. It wasn't until the middle of the nineteenth century, though, that skiing as a sport began to emerge. It was then that ski-carnivals started to flourish in Norway. Using skis weighing twenty-five pounds and measuring twelve feet in length, and with one stick used as a brake, participants competed in jumping events, and cross-country races.

Mountain Sport

The Norwegian miners who came to America and its mountains in search of gold brought with them their almost fanatical interest

in skiing. With the gold rush in full swing skiing competition within the camps provided relief from the heavy workload. Thus the seeds of skiing were sown in the mining towns of the Sierras and Rockies. Skiing served other purposes too. Until the railroads were completed it was a vital winter land connection and kept the mail moving. By the 1890's professional's were ski-jumping for cash prizes in such unlikely places as Minnesota, Michigan, Wisconsin and New Hampshire.

Modern-day skiing has its roots in central Europe. Around the turn of the century many refinements were begun in order to adapt known ski techniques to the steeper Alps. Downhill skiing replaced jumping and cross-country as interest was sparked in Austria, France and Switzerland. Shorter skis were introduced and two poles began to be utilized. Ski schools began to grow.

All these influences spread to the mountains of the North-eastern United States and by 1932 Lake Placid, New York was playing host to only the third Winter Olympic Games. From that landmark the sport of skiing in America has grown to the appreciable size and stature it enjoys today in the outdoor recreation industry. The skiing boom here was helped along by many factors. Chief among them were the importation of European instructors and the introduction of mechanical ways to get skiers back up the hill.

Sun Valley, Idaho was developed by the Union Pacific Railroad in 1936. By this time the railroads were hauling thousands of skiers into the Eastern ski areas and thus such an enterprise was a natural outlet for Union Pacific capital. The first chair lifts were designed and built by their engineers and a whole new age in skiing began to emerge. It wasn't until after World War II, though, that skiing began to take the shape on which it exists today. And that brings us conveniently into the subject of our next article — Skiing Today In The USA.

Editor's Quote Book

The longer we dwell on our misfortunes, the greater is their power to harm us.
—Voltaire

Consumers' Corner

In-Part Furniture
Putting-the-pieces-together now has application for the furniture industry as well as jigsaw puzzles. Many unassembled furniture kits are available in department stores or by mail from various furniture manufacturers. Instruction and diagrams are usually clear and assembly of the pieces fairly simple.

One widely used and simple method of assembling furniture, other than using the kits, is to buy separate parts and put them together at home.

Flush doors with added legs can become tables, desks, benches (with two-inch foam pads), or sofas (with four-inch foam pads). Flush doors in various woods are available in lumber yards or building supply companies. A variety of ready-made legs are sold in department stores, hardware stores and lumber yards. If you need a desk with storage underneath, place the flush door on top of two table-height file cabinets which serve as "legs".

Another simple furniture-in-parts technique is the wall-shelf system and room dividers incorporating shelves and chests that can be bought finished or unfinished.

American Viewpoints


Men with the muck-rake are often indispensable to the well-being of society, but only if they know when to stop raking the muck.
—Theodore Roosevelt


TELEPHONE

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Adult Classes

(Continued from Page 1)

**WINTER TERM
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MONDAYS

(First Class January 7)
Simplified Sewing — 7:00-9:00
p.m., Room B-9, \$10.00, 10
weeks.

This class is planned to provide extensive skill in the area of sewing and clothing construction. The class will include taking proper measurements and making the proper pattern selection, pattern alterations to meet individual needs, proper layout and cutting of material, short-cuts and easy methods of construction, and individual assistance as needed. The first project will be a simple one-piece cotton dress.

Conversational Spanish — 7:00-
9:00 p.m., Room A-48, \$10.00,
10 weeks.

A class for the beginner or those who wish to review. Conversation will be emphasized as the student learns the basics of a foreign language. An excellent class for those planning a visit to the southwest or Mexico.

Chess for Beginners — 7:00-9:00
p.m., Room A-37, \$10.00, 10
weeks.

Learn the basic principles of the fascinating game of chess. Individual piece moves, proper openings, and strategy development will be stressed. Those registering for the course must provide their own board and chessmen.

Band — 7:00-9:00 p.m., Room
B-14, \$10.00, 10 weeks.

A fun class for all those who always wanted to learn to play a band instrument yet never took the time. A must for parents of band students who would like to get double use out of their investment in an instrument. Those who already play are welcome also.

Income Tax — 7:00-9:00 p.m.,
Room A-27, \$10.00, 10 weeks.

This course covers practical ways of saving taxes, listing wages and income, tax deductions, capital gains from investments, and new provisions of the tax law. This will be a lecture and discussion class with no outside preparation.

Snowmobile Nomenclature —
7:00-9:00 p.m., Room B-13,
\$10.00, 10 weeks.

This class is designed for owners of snowmobiles who would like to know more about them. An especially good class for those just beginning the sport. Learn proper servicing and operation techniques, trouble shooting, emergency repairs, safe operation and proper storage of snowmobiles.

Beginning Swimming — Grades
2 & 3, 4:00-5:00 p.m., Room A-
28, \$20.00, 10 weeks.

Class time will be devoted to the mastering of those skills necessary to complete requirements of the American Red Cross Beginners Certificates. Instructor holds a current Water Safety Instructor's Certificate from the American Red Cross.

Beginning Swimming — Grades
4, 5, & 6, 5:00-6:00 p.m., Room
A-28, \$20.00, 10 weeks.

See description above.

Community Choir — 7:30-9:00,
Room B-40, Free, Continuing.

Join others who enjoy singing in rehearsal and performance of a wide variety of musical endeavours. Not necessary to read music or have any previous experience.

TUESDAYS
(First Class January 8)

Cake Decorating — 7:00-9:00
p.m., Room B-34, \$14.00, 10
weeks.

In this class you learn the basic techniques of cake decorating with emphasis on flowers, birthday and holiday cakes. Learn how to brighten up your cakes, cookies and pastries in this class. Tuition fee includes textbook - catalogue, 5 tips, rose nail and icing for the first class. Marzipan and piping gel will also be covered. Culmination of the class is the creation of a beautiful wedding cake. Bring an apron.

Lingerie Sewing — 7:00-9:00
p.m., Room B-9, \$10.00, 10
weeks.

This course will include designing and making slips, petticoats, briefs and gowns. In addition the course will cover fabric and thread selection and use, sewing techniques, elastic applications and trimmings.

Ceramics — 7:00-9:00 p.m., Room
B-17, \$10.00 plus materials, 10
weeks.

A course in beginning ceramics for those who have often admired beautiful vases, plates and ornamental figurines accomplished by others and would like to try themselves. Learn the basic principles of ceramic art that could develop into a life-long hobby.

Machine Shop — 7:00-9:00 p.m.,
Room B-13, \$12.00, 10 weeks.

Make use of one of the best equipped school machine shops in Northern Michigan. Beginners are taught the basic principles of machine tools and experienced participants are encouraged to make full use of the shop facilities to their best advantage.

Square Dancing — 7:00-9:00 p.m.,
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people? Learn to square dance. Experienced caller explains positions and teaches basic figures. Easy to learn — like walking to music. Learn to enjoy a stimulating hobby with others who are fun to be with.

Advanced Beginning Swimming —
Grades 2, 3 & 4, 4:00-5:00
p.m., Room A-28, \$20.00, 10
weeks.

Class time will be devoted to the mastering of those skills necessary to complete requirements of the American Red Cross Advanced Beginners Certificate.

Advanced Beginning Swimming —
Grades 5 & 6, 5:00-6:00
p.m., Room A-28, \$20.00, 10
weeks.

See above description.

Beginning Swimming for Women —
9:00-10:00 a.m., Auditorium,
\$20.00, 10 weeks.

This swimming class will be geared to adult women who are non-swimmers and to those who cannot swim in deep water. Basic swimming strokes will be taught.

WEDNESDAYS
(First Class January 9)

Fly Tying — 7:00-9:00 p.m., Room
A-39, \$10.00 plus materials, 10
weeks.

A course in basic fly tying which is a must for anyone who anticipates catching the biggest trout in the AuSable or Manistee. Learn to tie the old fashioned flier as well as the newer ones, even create your own sure-fire trout catcher. Established fly-tiers are encouraged to join the class as well. Each participant will tie over thirty different flies and streamers.

Stimnastics — 7:00-9:00 p.m.,
Grayling Elementary School,
\$10.00, 10 weeks.

Here it ladies, the chance to take off those few extra pounds that the holidays left you with. Join others like yourself and have an evening of fun with physical fitness. Make sure last spring's clothes still fit this April.

Knits I — 7:00-9:30 p.m., Room
B-9, \$10.00, 8 weeks.

A practical and informative introduction to sewing the new knit materials. Students will be trained in the basic fitting and handling of knit materials. Projects will include tops, skirts and shorts.

Art-Sketching and Painting —
7:00-9:00 p.m., Room B-17,
\$10.00 plus materials, 10 weeks.

Here is an opportunity for those students interested in drawing and painting to receive instructions geared to their individual needs. No previous art training or experience is necessary. Established artists are encouraged to join the class also.

Michigan Conservation — 7:00-
9:00 p.m., Room A-27, \$10.00,
10 weeks.

This course stresses the biology of Michigan game animals and birds with emphasis on game management and conservation techniques. Lecture materials will be supplemented with slides, films and speakers.

Woodcarving — 7:00-9:00 p.m.,
Room B-4, \$10.00, 10 weeks.

Learn the ancient art of creating beautiful plaques and figurines from wood. Students must supply their own carving blocks and tools.

Candy Making — 7:00-9:00 p.m.,
Room B-34, \$12.00, 10 weeks.

Learn the old fashioned art of making candy in your own kitchen. Expert know-how in the manufacture of fudge, divinity, rock-candy, brittle and taffy will be shared with students. Classmate will include demonstrations and projects.

Next week: Wild cats as pets!

Pet Chatter

By Teri Andrews

Only Pets Should Be Pets

Despite all the advice from professional animal handlers there is still a heavy traffic in exotic pets in the U.S. If your exotic pets they really must have exotic pets, there are some that are tolerable, although not as satisfying as the good old cat and dog. The small rodents, bred in captivity, can be interesting, inexpensive and not harmful. Harmless snakes and lizards — the Gila monster and Mexican beaded lizard, the only venomous lizards in the world, are quiet, undemanding pets and are especially good for the home where a person is allergic to animal hair.

Monkeys — In one word — trouble. There was never a monkey that was not a potential biter. Something does happen to monkeys when they reach sexual maturity, and they do become touchy, if not downright mean. Monkeys require a very complicated diet. Some species need as many as 10 different foods including meat and plenty of fresh fruit even in the winter, when it is expensive.

Most veterinarians have little or no experience with wild animals and it will be difficult to impossible in most communities to get reliable advice if your pet becomes ill. When you discover your mistake and want to find a home for your ill-chosen pet, you will be surprised to learn that your zoo won't accept it for fear of disease.

Chimpanzees — at maturity

they more closely resemble a gorilla than one of the cute little things in diapers you've seen on T.V. They cannot be kept once they approach maturity. And that can be heartbreaking for both chimp and owner. It is next to impossible not to love a baby chimp.

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Kalkaska Sled Dog Races Sanctioned

Kalkaska's International Sled Dog races of January 26 and 27th have recently been sanctioned for the class B races. Randall DeKuiper of the Great Lakes Sled Dog Association working with the Kalkaska County Chamber of Commerce informed the Sled Dog Committee that the B races are also exciting races.

The prizes in all classes have been increased this year at Kalkaska.

The B teams and mushers have put forth months of training and many of them have traveled from as far as the states of Iowa and Nebraska to get here. They would like to run in a sanctioned race as well as the A teams do.

The A races have been sanctioned for the past five years and much of that competition has traveled for miles to get here. Alaska, Maine, Quebec, Ontario and New Hampshire have had winners in the races.

Michigan has had some winners

and placers too. We will attract mushers farther away in the B races with the sanctioned competition said DeKuiper.

When asked about the gas shortage's effect on Dog Racing, the chamber of commerce representative said, "These races are run on Dog Food not gasoline."

Spectators will be able to get to Kalkaska on buses as our service is good. They should phone ahead for motel reservations.

The races take place less than a mile from town and hot

coffee and sandwiches are available at the starting chute and finish line. A warming house is centrally located and a hot dog, hot coffee stand will be available in the parking lot.

A course primarily for those

who have learned to type, but

feel the need to "brush-up" on

their skill before applying for

a job or for their own personal

use. Both electric and manual

typewriters will be used.

Swimnastics — 9:00-10:00 a.m.,
Auditorium, \$20.00, 10 weeks.

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fun way to get rid of those few

extra pounds the holidays put

on and get you neat and trim

for that new spring outfit. Keep

yourself physically fit by swim-

ming and exercise and at the

same time trim off that little

excess that doesn't do anything

for your figure.

FRIDAYS

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Medical Self-Help — 7:00-9:00
p.m., Room A-5, Free, 11
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what to do in an emergency to

care for yourself and your fam-

ily until professional medical

care can be obtained.

Family Survival — 7:00-9:00
p.m., A-27, Free, 10 weeks.

Learn what to do in the event

of a national emergency or natural

disaster or catastrophe should

occur.

Swimnastics — 7:00-9:00 p.m.,
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SATURDAYS

(First Class January 12)

Medical Self-Help — 7:00-9:00
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County Board of Commissioners Proceedings

Regular meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners held in the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 10th day of December 1973.

Meeting called to order by Earl H. Longworth, Chairman. Roll Call. Lawrence Gust, Fred Kauffman, Leonard Knibbs, Earl H. Longworth, Bernard Maurer, Dean Welch, Albert Westervelt — All Present.

Invocation by Mr. Kauffman. MOTION by Westervelt, supported by Knibbs, to approve November minutes as corrected. Roll Call, All Aye. Motion Carried.

CORRECTION: Bids were let for architectural plans for the new Wakaley Bridge, not for construction of the bridge.

HEALTH & WELFARE COMMITTEE REPORT by Kauffman. Mr. Kauffman reported that 48 schools are receiving services from the four county Health Department. He attended a Legislative Committee meeting in Lansing December 7, 1973.

Two letters were read to the Board which were sent to the Governor from Health Departments regarding creation of a Department of Human Services, and the State Health Department request for increased funding of local Health Departments. The Planning Commission met November 29th. Northern Counties Association met November 29th; there will be no

meeting this month, but they will resume in January.

BUILDING COMMITTEE REPORT by Knibbs. Material for the roof between the Sheriff's Department and the Commissioners' Office has been ordered. Mr. Knibbs reported on a questionnaire received from Civil Defense Department as to where our fuel comes from. Rent for Welfare and Manpower offices is being checked by the Committee.

Mr. Roy Papenfus, Zoning Director, met with the Board and recommended the following changes in the Building Code.

Mobile Homes — Add Paragraph E to Section 1 of Crawford County Building Code #20-1-10-72A. All Mobile Homes must be put on 4" thick concrete slabs, 6" of the outer edge of slab must extend 8" under finished grade. All Mobile Homes must have tie-downs every 10' each side.

Garages — Amend Section 1 Paragraph D of Crawford County Building Code #20-1-10-72A. All private garages must have concrete floor and the exterior edge of the footings must be at least 8" below finished grade or to undisturbed soil and at least 6" of wall above finished grade and 6" wide.

Each of the above projects shall be completed within one year from date of permit.

MOTION by Welch, supported by Kauffman, that we adopt the preceding rules pertaining to Mobile Homes and Garages. Roll Call. Welch, Kauffman, Knibbs, Longworth, Maurer, Westervelt, All Aye. Gust No. Motion Carried.

ROAD & BRIDGES COMMITTEE REPORT by Welch. He reported on a letter of instruction for snowmobile signs for county roads. Letter was read regarding road conditions in South Branch Township, which was signed by several members of the township. This letter was referred to the Roads & Bridges Committee.

Mr. Longworth reported on the Snowmobile Bill.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE REPORT by Westervelt. The Committee is reviewing applications for new secretary for the Equalization Department. The Committee recommended that the Board hire a secretary to do the commissioners' work time keeping, reports, and Department of Public Works office work, etc. Personnel Committee will check into this matter. Set rules for use of the time clock was recommended by the Committee.

TIME CLOCK POSITION OF CLOCK.

The clock with racks will be placed on the wall opposite Room C-114, with "OUT" rack on left, "IN" rack on the right.

RULES FOR USE OF TIME CLOCK.

MOTION by Knibbs, supported by Gust, that the Board send a letter to Van's Lumber Co. commanding them on the fine job done in renovating the former Grayling Lumber building. Roll Call. All Aye. Motion Carried.

SANITARY LAND FILL REPORT by Gust. He reported that bids have been opened for compacting tractor and other equipment. Plans for a building were submitted. Target date for opening is early spring.

Mr. Harold Lee appeared before the Board and displayed different types of letters and quoted prices for a sign for the County Building.

MOTION by Kauffman, supported by Knibbs, to approve \$56.00 for a "Crawford County Building" sign, with 12 inch high aluminum letters. Roll Call. All Aye. Gust. No. Motion Carried.

III. When an employee's card is in the "IN" rack, that employee shall be performing his or her function as according to the working agreement between employee and employer.

IV. It shall be the policy of the employer that when an employee's card is in the "OUT" rack, that employee is not in the employment of the employer and is not in any way to be paid for his or her time.

V. (a) The time card will be used for the purpose of determining authorized hours worked, for pay in accord with the provisions of the employment agreement between employee and employer.

WHEREAS, to protect the general health, welfare and safety of the people of Crawford County,

WHEREAS, the drainage and subsequent development of high ground water land can lead to the deterioration of bodies of water into which ground water flows; and the possible contamination of ground waters from effluent, and

WHEREAS, alteration of said high ground water soil and filling in the area with soil material causes soil sediments to move into natural watercourses, which tend to alter the direction of flow, cover gravel trout spawning beds; and sediment materials in suspension greatly reduces the quality of water deposited materials reduces water channel capacity creating flood problem; sediments deposited in flood plains covers the ground surface with sediment which chokes out plant life such as trees, shrubs and ground cover. Filling in channel flood plains causes permanent constrictions of the natural channel resulting in high flood crests in future periods of flooding.

(b) Any employee checking out early shall be subject to the reverse of Rule VIa.

(c) The provisions of VIa and VIb pertain to checking in at the beginning of normal days employment, checking out for lunch, in from lunch, and out at the end of normal days employment.

VI. Failure to comply with the rules pertaining to the use of the time clock will result in the following.

(a) For all violations there will be a written notice given the employee.

(b) For first and second violations a warning will be issued.

(c) The third violation of the rules for the time clock shall constitute just cause for dismis-

sal from employment.

VII. Upon the malfunction or failure to function of the time clock, the paymaster shall serve as the authorized time clock.

IX. Any employee who has in his possession a time card assigned to another employee for any purpose whatever, shall be in violation so serious that it shall constitute just cause for immediate termination of em-

ployment.

MOTION by Welch, supported by Maurer, that the above rules be put into effect as soon as possible. Rent for Welfare and Manpower offices is being checked by the Committee.

MOTION by Welch, supported by Knibbs, to approve November minutes as corrected. Roll Call, All Aye. Motion Carr-

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a) Any information necessary to comply with Acts 346 and 347 of Public Acts of 1972 referred to as inland lake and stream act (346) and erosion and sedimentation act (347).

b) Other information required shall be:

1. Affects on wildlife habitat.
2. Affects on water quality of bodies of water in the watershed.
3. Affects on ground water.
4. Detailed soils map.
5. Affects on forest areas.

Also let it be resolved that all governmental agencies, local, regional, state and federal should review this resolution. Be it further resolved that each agency be requested to adjust their programs so that any work they are involved with concerning the designated areas will be in compliance with the intent of this resolution.

The county planning commis-

Name of — Character Allowed & of Claim Rejected

Consumers Power Electrical Service 521.10
General Telephone Co. Telephone Service 455.90
Michigan Con. Gas Gas Service 441.23
City of Grayling Utilities, City Garage 355.16
Graham Brimhall Co. Bridge Plans 592.20
Crawford Co. Avalanche Off. Sup. & Printing 400.00
Doubleday Bros. & Co. Office Supplies 269.95
Charlotte L. Walter Reporter Exp. 121.00
Cornell Ins. Agency Insurance 1,700.00
Miller Hardware Equip. & Supplies 31.78
Modern Lock & Repair Lock reset & Keys 30.50
Gray. Elec. & Heat. Co. Bldg. Main. 16.20
Janzen Plumbing Serv. Plumbing Repair 32.00
Steindler Paper Co. Janitor Supplies 173.97
Clinton Office Supply Office Supplies 18.10
DeLano Service Office Supplies 13.98
United Co. Off. Assoc. Dues 75.00
Mich. Assoc. of Co. Treas. Dues 25.00
Grayling Office Supply Office Supplies 25.29
Larry Hunter Equal. Dir. Exp. 15.55
Charles H. Knecht Staff Appraiser Exp. 30.00
Roy Papenfus Zoning Dir. Exp. 115.10
Shell Oil Co. Gasoline & Repair 149.70
Mac's Drug Store Supplies & Drugs 304.24
Mac's Drug Store Supplies & Drugs 139.76
Charles Fick Gasoline 678.90
Auto Parts & Supply Supplies 37.44
North Central Oil Co. Tires 249.62
Keyport Clinic Exam 10.00
Cadillac Overall Supply Linen Service 52.12
Dr. G. E. Kieler, M.D. Exam 7.00
Chester Lozon Dryer Repair 6.00
Dr. Wayne Casler Vet. Service 15.00
Willard Bosselman Coop. Ext. Agent 167.96
Xerox Corp. Metered Usage 273.83
Arthur J. Lozon Autopsy 100.00
Top O' Michigan R.E.A. Airport Exp. 66.72
Dann D. Marr Beacon Main. 20.00
Dept. of Military Affairs Airport Exp. 73.76
Harold Mertes Planning Com. Exp. 121.20
Jeremy Jones Planning Com. Exp. 140.40
Don Jansen Planning Com. Exp. 88.80
Arthur J. Lozon Planning Com. Exp. 138.00
Jerry Morford Planning Com. Exp. 120.00
Gun-Trac Village Snowmobile Main. 3.46
Ray's Canoe Livery Paddles - Marine Div. 10.50
Timothy G. Coe Gun & Uniform Allowance 150.00
Charles E. Hunter Wages 97.75
Charles A. Easterly Mileage 40.00
Fochiman Motor Co. Janitor Supplies 72.50
Motorola, Inc. Radio Main. 79.60
Municipal Supplies Co. Uniform Access. 46.00
Drs. Dosch & Burkley Prof. Services 32.50
Mercy Hospital Inmate Treatment 25.00
Joseph E. Durga Snow Plowing & Exp. 94.97
Sheer Motors, Inc. Auto Repair 1.51

MOTION by Gust, supported by Welch, that the report of the Finance Committee be approved and accepted. Roll Call. Kauffman, Welch, Gust, Knibbs, Longworth, Maurer, Westervelt — All Aye. Motion Carried.

MOTION by Gust, supported by Maurer, that the bills of the road commissioners be approved in the amount of \$9,000. Roll Call. Gust, Maurer, Kauffman, Knibbs, Longworth, Welch, Westervelt — All Aye. Motion Carried.

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CHILDREN'S STORY HOUR — Pictured above are some of the children who participated in the Story Hour held December 11 in the Grayling Elementary School library. While they and four year olds, accompanied by a parent, did art work and watched a filmstrip "The Night Before Christmas" their mothers listen to guest speaker Superintendent of Schools Fraser Dean. The next Story Hour will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 8th at 10:30 a.m. All three year olds, accompanied by a parent, are invited to attend. Mrs. Paul Dosch will speak on the Montessori Method.

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BITS O' TALK

Dave LaGuire visited his sister and family, the Charles Ficks, over the holidays. He will return to his home in St. Johns and resume teaching in Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Niclson and daughter Karen spent the past weekend in Brighton visiting their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Musich.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Perry, Kelly and Angela of Lowell, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. LaRush and also her family, Mrs. Arnold Hubbell. They also received a telephone call from Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Perry from Seville, Spain and talked to their three children. Mrs. Perry is spending six months with her family in Seville while Lloyd is at sea.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dyke and daughter Tonya, spent the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whitey Madsen. While here they also visited Tonya's great grandmother Mrs. Jack Papendick.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Papendick and family of Clio, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Worden and family of Cadillac, visited the Gary Leslie family and other relatives last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jansen and son, Curt, had as their guests over the holidays, David Jansen and his wife Elaine, and Mr. and Mrs. David Hoag, from Newport, Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bindschatel announce the birth of a son Kenneth Ryan, 8 lbs. 4 ozs. on December 29th, in a Military Hospital in Heidelberg, Germany. She is the former Karen Gorney. Their address is: Spec. Corp. Kenneth Bindschatel, 379-58-0015, Co. A, 97th Signal Battalion, APO New York, N. Y. 09028.

Mercy Hospital News

The following are among the patients at Mercy Hospital this week: Clarence Clippert, Palma Greer, Margaret Keway, John Latuszek, Agnes Nelson, John Packe and Clara Wolcott, all of Grayling; Ethlyn Taylor of Frederic and Ervin Ricuter of Roscommon.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rice of Grayling are the parents of a son, Barrett Madin, born December 28 and weighing 7 lbs. 12 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mires of Roscommon announce the arrival of a baby girl, Tamra Sue, born December 28, and weighing 8 lbs. 1/2 oz. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smock of Grayling are the maternal grandparents.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bud E. Taylor of Frederic on December 30, a son, Jeremi Wayne, weighing 7 lbs. 9 ozs.

On New Year's Day a son, Nathan Phillip, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greer of Grayling. He weighed in at 9 lbs. 6 ozs.

EMU Graduate

Eastern Michigan University commencement exercises were held Sunday, December 9, 1973 at three o'clock in the Bowen Field House, Ypsilanti. Graduating from Grayling was Howard S. Madsen with a Bachelor of Business Education with a State Secondary Provisional Certificate. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Madsen, Route 2, Grayling.

National - 1st Div.

1. Bear Archery	40
2. Tarpon	33
3. Gambles	29
4. Airport Auto	26
5. Parsons Adv.	25
6. Spur Gas	20

High series: L. Baker, 569; J. D'igiovanni, 540; M. Bindschatel, 531.

High game: L. Baker, 221; W. Reinhardt, 206; J. D'igiovanni & M. Bindschatel, 204.

National - 2nd Div.

(End of First Half)

1. Legion Lanes	37
2. Cornells Ins. & Realty	36
3. Caids Grocery	35
4. Grayling V.W.	33
5. Gen. Telephone	28
6. Fuelgas	27
7. Sam's Auto Parts	24
8. R. & H. Sport	20

High series: K. Louchart, 560; J. Dannenberg, 550; P. Harwood, 526.

High game: K. Louchart, 223; J. Helsel, 213; J. Rasmussen, 212.

Legion Lanes is Champs of the 1st half.

Recreation League

1. Ski Whiz Snowmobiles	47 1/2
2. Lovells Bar	43
3. Bill's Laundry	39 1/2
4. Culligan Soft Water	39
5. Recreational	36
6. Olson's	35
7. Bay City Times	33
8. Dingman's Tavern	33
9. Wag-On-Inn	29 1/2
10. Kozy Korners	29
11. R. H. Sport Center	28 1/2
12. Grayling Bank	28
13. Glen's Market	28
14. Legion Lanes	26
15. Decker's Fixit Shop	24
16. AuSable Hotel	13

High series: M. Reed, 511; D. Mead & B. Wells, 501; J. Yoder, 491.

High game: P. Long, 182; L. Harwood, 189; M. Reed & B. Sy, 187.

Ski Whiz Snowmobiles are winners of the 1st half.

Sunday Mixed Doubles

1. Big Wheel	36
2. Luzerne Hardware	35
3. R & H Sports	33
4. Millers Tires	31 1/2
5. Deckers Fixit Shop	29
6. Gen. Telephone	25
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